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### Meeting the challenges of Agriculture and Forestry with Commissioner Bob Odom

Cool temperatures and abundant soil moisture make this the ideal time for landowners to plant tree seedlings in Louisiana, Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Bob Odom says.

To help landowners with their reforestation projects, the Department of Agriculture and Forestry's annual pine and hardwood seedling sale is in full swing with plenty of both varieties still available.

"We've ended a three-year cycle of drought that prevented a lot of people from reforesting their lands after timber harvests, and those who did plant saw much of their crop suffer high levels of mortality," Odom says. "But, now the weather is great and soil moisture levels are the best we've had in four years."

Pine seedling packets come in a minimum order of a thousand seedlings. Pine seedlings available include superior loblolly, advanced generation loblolly and slash pine.

Charles Matherne, reforestation chief for the department, says the superior loblolly seedlings have a 14 percent to 18 percent gain in growth over wild seedlings, which means they will be mature enough for harvest in nine to 12 years versus 15 to 17 years for other trees.

"We have bred pine trees specifically for application in Louisiana for about 35 years and improved their genetics greatly," Matherne explains. "Through selective parent breeding we've not only increased the growth rate, but also have improved wood quality and disease resistance."

Matherne also mentions that the advanced generation loblolly has a 24 percent to 34 percent gain in growth over wild seedlings, and the slash pine has a 30 percent to 34 percent gain in growth paired with an exceptional resistance to rust cankers over wild seedlings.

Hardwood seedlings are available in about 35 species including water oak, native sweet pecan, river birch and sweet gum. Hardwood packets require a minimum order of 50 seedlings.

For information about ordering seedling packets, call any district office of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry or visit the Web site www.ldaf.state.la.us and click on "seedling sales." Seedling inventories are updated weekly on the site and a downloadable order form is also available for printing.

"Many people don't realize it, but timber is the number one agricultural crop grown in this state. We have nearly 14 million acres of trees growing in Louisiana forests that are a vital component of the state's economy," Odom notes of the \$5 billion industry. "By planting pine and hardwood seedlings, we continue contributing to the health of our environment and to the well-being of the state's economic future."





Joey and Denise Olivier of Arnaudville stand in front of one of the prizes for winning the American Farm Bureau 2002 Achievement Award. The Olivier's are the first contestants from Lousiana to take home the top prize.

### St. Landry rice producers named top farmers in nation

Joey and Denise Olivier, rice and crawfish farmers from Arnaudville, in St. Landry Parish, were named the nation's top young farmers by the American Farm Bureau Federation during its annual convention here.

The couple was named Louisiana's state winners at the Louisiana Farm Bureau convention in July and traveled to Reno to compete against more than three dozen young farmers from across the country. Top prize included a Dodge 3500 Ram pickup truck valued at more than \$41,000.

"We were just so excited and grateful to have gotten this far," Joey Olivier, 35, said after being handed the keys to pickup. "We had our hopes up when we weren't among the four runners-up." "When they called out our name I couldn't believe it," said Denise. "The first thing we did was call Joey's mom."

The Oliviers also farm soybeans, corn, wheat and grain sorghum over 3,300 acres near Arnaudville. The farm is part of Joey's family's larger 13,000-acre operation in St. Landry.

"I was fortunate to be born of a farming family," Olivier said back in July after being named Louisiana's top young farmer. "Throughout my four years of college, I commuted everyday back to the farm to perform work and management duties, including much of the on-farm record keeping and bookkeeping. In 1989, my wife and I acquired our own personal farming operation by using mostly used equipment on rented land. We've been farming ever since and now own more than 1,600 acres."

The American Farm Bureau's Young Farmer and Rancher Achievement Award recognizes young farmers whose operations typify diversity and a commitment to bringing a balance between earning a living and keeping resources in balance.

The Oliviers were part of a 70member Louisiana delegation which traveled to Reno for the annual meeting of the nation's largest general farm organization. Farm Bureau President Ronnie Anderson said the couple was a fitting choice in a time when farmers, young and old, are struggling against closed export markets and low farm prices.

"Joey and Denise are what young farmers are all about," Anderson said. "They're making a go of it, working hard, raising a family and keeping up the tradition of the family farm."

More than 4,000 farmers, ranchers and their families were in Reno for the four-day convention. Delegates to the convention set national farm policy on issues impacting all of American agriculture.

Much of that policy will be directed to lawmakers in Washington still trying to draft the next farm bill. Issues to be considered during the event include federal supports for farmers over the next 10 years, opening of more export markets for U.S. farm products and environmental legislation which allows farmers to adhere to federal guidelines while producing crops at profitable levels.

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### CATTLE

No grade sires listed in the interest of better livestock. All dairy cattle 20 mos. of age, beef cattle 24 mos. of age, or pasturient or post pasturient animals of any age offered for sale, except for immediate slaughter, must have valid 30-day negative brucellosis test certificate. Contact La. Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry, P.O. Box 1951, Baton Rouge, La. 70821-1951.

REMINDER: Have all of your heifer calves between four and 12 months of age vaccinated against brucellosis. For information contact your local veterinarian, LDAF animal health personnel, your parish Cattlemen's Association or parish Farm Bureau.

**Reg. Blk.** Angus bulls, 2 yrs. old., \$1500/1. Arnold Hess, Morganza, 70759; (225) 694-3713.

**Reg. Gray** Brahman bull, 3½ yrs. old, \$850. Matthew Givs, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3637.

**PB** Charolais bull & heifers, some polled, \$450/1-up. Elvin Lafleur, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2079.

**Reg. Simmental** & Simbrah bulls, cows, prs., heifers, polled, \$550 - \$1175/1. Harold Landreneau, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-0505.

**PB Beefmaster** bull, polled, \$700. Aaron Poirrier, Roseland, 70456; (985) 748-3009.

**Charolais cows**, \$1500 - \$1800; prs., \$1000 - \$1500; Charolais bulls, \$1500 - \$2500. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, 70520; (337) 948-3926.

**Reg. Angus** heifers, excel. bloodlines, very gentle, from Cert. herd, \$650/1. Albert Rojer, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-6314.

**5**<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> **Braford** bulls, \$700/1; 6 Brangus heifers, \$600/1; Braford heifers, \$500/1. Glenray Trahan, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 652-1369 or (337) 643-2369.

**Reg. Romognola** bull, \$1500. Burton Witherwax, Iowa, 70647; (337) 588-6864.

**Reg. Texas** Longhorn bull, \$750/1-up. Dora Wood, Mansfield, 71052; (318) 872-6329.

**Reg. Blk.** Angus bulls, 13-16 mos. old, \$700 - \$800/1; Reg. Blk. Angus bulls, 10 - 14 mos. old, \$600 - \$750/1. Dera Bates, Hefllin, 71039; (318) 377-2764.

**Reg. Gelbvieh** bull, 3 yrs. old, red & polled, \$1200. Leslie Bickham, St. Francisville, 70775; (225) 635-3942.

Charolais Brangus & Hereford cross heifers, \$1/lb. L. Blanchard, Baton Rouge, 70818; (504) 261-2911.

**Jersey Nurse** cow, \$650. N. Graves, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 735-1816.

**Gelbvieh bulls**, \$1000/1-up. Dottie Knost, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8044.

**Reg. Brangus** bulls, \$1600/1; Reg. Brangus heifers, \$875/1; Brangus prs. & breds, \$850/1. Ronnie Link, Evergreen, 71333; (318) 939-2345.

**Crossbred cows,** \$650/1. F. McCoullough, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 358-3329.

**Reg. Charolais** bull, \$1500. Philip Melancon, Church Point, 70525; (337) 873-6232.

**Jersey Holstein** cross heifer, Reg. Black Angus bull, \$500. Carroll Songy, Loranger, 70446; (985) 902-9073.

Reg. Red Angus bulls, \$800 -

\$1000/1. Juanita Baker, Kinder, 70648;(337) 738-2885.

**Reg. Charolais** cattle, bulls, prs., breds, heifers, \$1000/1-up or \$25,000 for herd. Lee Cook, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7043.

**Reg. Simmental** & Simbrah cattle, heifers, bulls, prs., \$500/1-up. B. Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

**Reg. Brangus** bulls, \$1400/1-up. Chris Dupuy, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-5128.

**Reg. Blk.** Angus bulls, excel. bloodlines, \$1000/1-up. Jeanette Freeman, Columbia, 71418; (318) 649-5863.

**Reg. Brahman** bull, \$1000/1. Trent Hines, Effie, 71331; (318) 253-9405.

**BBU bulls,** \$1200 - \$1400/1. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

**BBU Reg.** bull, \$1200. Ed Poston, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-4019

**Reg. Longhorn** bulls, 3 yr. olds, \$800/1; 2 yr. olds, \$500/1. Harry Roark, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 654-8088.

**BBU Registered** Beefmaster bulls, \$600/1. Waldo Thibodeaux, Lafayette, 70503; (337) 235-4587 or (337) 332-3531.

**Blk. Angus** herd bull, \$1500/1; Blk. Angus cows, \$1000/1. Ann Webb, Choudrant, 71227; (318) 768-2685.

**Reg. Blk.** Angus bulls, \$1000/1; Reg. Blk. Angus heifers, \$800/1; Angus herd bull, \$1500/1. Ernest Webb, Choudrant, 71227; (318) 768-2685.

**Reg. Horned** Hereford bull, 5 yrs. old, \$1300. Warren Cavalier, Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-0355.

**Reg. Charolais** cattle, \$1000/1-up. Ridley Chauvin, Raceland, 70394; (985) 537-6954.

**Reg. Blk.** Polled Limousin bull, herd bull, \$2500. Michael LeDoux, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-2820.

**10 Crossbred** cows, bred to blk. bull, \$7000/all. Kevin McVay, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-1387 or (318) 640-4316.

**Braford & Brangus** heifers bred to Angus bulls, \$725/1-up. Ed O'Neal, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 463-3946.

**Brahman Holstein** heifers, \$550/1; Jersey Heifer bred to Angus bulls, \$650/1; Angus bull, \$1200/1. James Sibley, Walker, 70785; (225)

**Reg. Braford** bulls & heifers, Champion bloodlines, Gain Test leaders, heifers, \$700/1; 2 yr. old bulls, \$1500. Fred Elsing, Alexandria, 71306; (318) 442-0741.

**10 Purebred** Charolais open heifers, gentle, thick, deep bodied, \$1.15/lb., at farm. Paul Dufrene, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 637-1189 mobile, (985) 798-7811 after 7 p.m.

**Braford bull,** 2 yrs., <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Brahman, Tiger Striped, guaranteed sound & fertile, \$1000. Stefanie Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2726.

**Reg. Pb** Charolais bull, heifers breeding age, Tundra, Duke, Wallstreet bloodlines, Cert. herd, \$1000/1-up. Leona Guillot, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-8300.

**Reg. BBU** Beefmaster bull, Beau Rouge & Levi bloodlines, 3 yrs. in

2/02, bred 8-10 cows, dk. red, no bad habits, \$800. Ed Dugas, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-4335.

**Reg. Charolais** bulls, 20 mos., tested & ready for service, Big Sky & Sir T bred, cert. herd., \$1400/1-up. Walter Lemoine, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-7939.

**Reg. Polled** & horned Hereford bulls & heifers, open & bred, 9 mos., & up, \$800/1-up. Chris Lewis, Angie, 70426; (985) 986-1000 day, (985) 732-7004 night.

**Reg. Polled** Charolais heifers, 8-12 mos., \$650/1-up; Reg. Polled yearling bulls, \$1200/1-up. Louis Quave, Bush, 70431; (985) 886-5557.

**Reg. Blk.** Angus bulls, 24-28 mos., AI'd son of Sitz Traveler 8180, \$2500; AI'd son of SAF Fame, \$2000; Kirk Boudreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-1954.

**Reg. Black** Angus bulls, 8-9 mos., \$550/each. Clinton Breland, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 732-5346.

**5 Bred Beef** cows, 7 mos., 2-5 yrs., avg. wt. 1000 lbs., \$3200/all. M. Bridges, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-3806

**Pb Simmental** bulls, blacks, reds, 12-13 mos., limited serv. with or w/o papers, top bloodlines, \$750/1-up. Mancel Brouillette, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-9922.

**Reg. Braford** bull, 3 yrs., semen tested, calves to show, \$1000. Sidney Broussard, Gueydan, 70542; (318) 536-6087.

**Gray Brahman** bull, 3½ yrs., very gentle, semen tested, calves to show, \$1000. Cathy Cornelius, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 654-0453 or (225) 654-5946.

**Reg. Charolais** bull, top bloodlines, 33 mos., very gentle, no bad habits, \$2000. Loyton Courville, 3547 Hwy. 93, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3758.

**3 Reg. Braford** heifers, 7-8 mos., 2 Tiger Striped, 1 Blk. Baldie, weaned, on feed & rye grass, \$500/ea. Larry Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2727.

**Reg. Shorthorn** bull, polled, 16 mos., \$800; heifers, polled, reds & roans, 12-16 mos., \$600/1. Jerry Epperson, Baker, 70714; (225) 654-5881.

**Reg. Black** Brangus bull, 4 yrs., Cowboy son, excel. quality, calves to show, gentle, \$2000. Terry Faul, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-5275.

Charolais bull & 3 heifers, \$4200/all; yearling bulls, \$1200-\$1800/ea.; 2 yr. ET bull, choice genetics, \$2200. Ron Fuqua, Effie, 71331; (318) 253-4682.

**Reg. Pb** Charolais bulls, top quality, ready for service, cert. herd, 16-21 mos., \$1500/1-up. Ivy Guillot, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-8300.

**31 Brangus** cows, 3-4 yrs., \$900/pr.; 35 crossbred cows, 6-7 yrs., many w/calves, remainder 7-8 mos., bred, \$650/pr. Jimmy Henry, Bernice, 71222; (318) 285-7427.

### **SWINE**

**20 Weaner pigs,** White Lean, Yorkshire Lanrace cross, wormed & castrated, 7 wks., \$25/1; 8 wks., \$30/1. Jorden Werger, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3672.

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**AQHA sorrel** filly, NCHA money earner, \$1750. Paul Grezaffi, Batchlor, 70715; (225) 492-3511.

**QT stud,** On a A High, Go Like Lightning, \$5000 or trade. William Hatcher, Kenwood, 70444; (985) 229-8361.

**AQHA Palomino** mare, Peppy San Badger, Hollywood Gold, \$2500. John Morvant, Thibodaux, 70301; (985) 446-0708.

**APHA Sorrel** Overo geld., \$2500. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 433-1856.

**'95 APHA** Tobiano geld., \$3500. Richard Perioux, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-8807.

**APHA breeder** stock, 3 yr. old mare, solid black, sire: Texas Black Gold by Mardelle Dixon, Barrell Racer, \$3500. Bonnie Savoie, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 654-7723.

**Palomino mare,** 12 yrs. old, \$1500. Wanda O'Neal, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 433-1856.

**QH stallion,** non-reg., \$1200. Ronnie Radecker, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4375.

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> **AQHA** <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> **Appaloosa** Buckskin mare, \$800; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Appaloosa <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Morgan blk. filly, \$500. Charles Seal, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 748-8572.

**'95 AQHA** bay geld., Thoroughbred conf., \$2150. Kevin Simpson, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 673-4382.

'01 APHA bay & wht. filly, Yellow Fellow, Jeletto, War Leo, \$1500. C. Smith, Fields, 70653; (337) 786-3617.

**AQHA sorrel,** grandaughter of Mr. San Peppy, will be in foal to King Ranch, \$3000. Ronald Brassette, Bunkie, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

**AQHA bay** mare in foal to son of Gay Holly Bars, World Champion Cutting horse, \$3000. James Carroway, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

**AQHA '96** Doc O'Lena grand-daughter, bred; stallions, Sorrel Peppy San Badge, Colonel Freckles, \$2000/1-up. Charles Champagne, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-6695 or (985) 632-3389.

**AQHA yrlg.**, out of Zan Parr Bar, \$1500. Tonya Guillory, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

**AQHA yearling,** double bred Doc Bar, \$1000. Robert Knott, Lecompte, 71346; (337) 461-2674.

**AQHA sorrel** filly, Peppy D Badger, Doc Sug, \$1100. Wayne Mouch, Addis, 70710; (225) 749-3991.

**Arabian Bay** filly, Bask, Silver Drift, Crown Royale, \$1800. E. O'Quinn, Iowa, 70647; (337) 588-4948.

'87 Appaloosa geld., Brights Pudden, out of Foundation bred mare, \$1250. Francis Richard, Washington, 70589; (337) 363-4778.

AQHA Red Roan, Zan Parr Bar,

\$3000. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

**Thoroughbred mares,** reg., in foal, \$5,000/1 or \$8000 if both taken. Salvador Therese, Bush, 70431; (985) 898-0532.

**APHA Tobiano,** 9 yrs. old, Cactus Ben, \$2500. Linda Young, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 644-5448.

**AQHA fillies** & colts, microchipped, \$750/1-up. Butch Martin, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-2467.

**Andalusian colt,** sire import, high level dressage, \$4900. Leanna Meaux, New Orleans, 70122; (504) 283-8105.

**APHA geld.,** Big Time You Bet, Soft Touch Seeker, \$3000. John Ney, Calhoun, 71225; (318) 644-7193.

**AQHA mare,** Playin Safari, Playboy out of Doc Hollywood mare, \$3500. Lawrence Babineaux, Iowa, 70647; (337) 582-5014.

'01 APHA, out of Wies Camp mare by Barlink Tuff Times, \$2500. Anita Craig, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-3839.

**Reg. QH mare**, King bred, \$750; weanlings, Zippo Bar Pine & Ziptoe bloodlines, \$1000/1-up. D. Crain, Winnsboro, 71295; (318) 435-4280 or (800) 228-8423.

**Gaited Horses,** reg. colts, stallion, fillies, mares, \$2000/1-up. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 542-0252.

'00 AQHA bay stallion by own son of Doc O'Lena out of double bred Dry Doc mare, \$2500. Lorry Dupuy, Thibodaux, 70301; (504) 915-5221.

**APHA mare,** 6 yrs. old, no bad habits, \$1500. Mike Floyd, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 536-6620.

**'95 Thoroughbred** geld., son of Bag, excel. conf., \$1500. Webster LeBlanc, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-7182.

**APHA Overo** mare, sire: It's Color Time, green broke, bred to APHA stallion, \$3500; APHA Loud Overo yrlg. filly, sire: It's Color Time, \$3500. Shelby Savoie, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 654-7723.

'98 Red Dunn mare, Freckles Gold War, Lena's Skeezixs, \$4000; Bay filly, Eathan Again x Blondies

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Injun, \$1750. John Lurry, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-6411.

**Sorrel geld.,** 11 yrs. old, ridden in trail rides, \$1950. Brian Minvielle, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 673-7839.

**AQHA stud** colt, halter broke, working bloodlines, \$1500. Roman Monroe, Bueche, 70720; (225) 627-9474.

'98 AQHA sorrel geld., Country Record x Crickets Moon, \$4500; '98 AQHA Palomino geld., Doc's Prescription X Doc's Lynx, \$3000. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

**Double Reg.** AQHA PHBA Palomino geld., \$4500. Donald Moyer, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 386-8343.

**Reg. TWHBEA,** SSHBEA, NSSHA filly, \$2500. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, 70090; (225) 265-4654 or (985) 783-7217.

**QH mare,** great trail horse, needs experienced rider, 7 years old, \$1200; 9 year old QH mare, used as broodmare, will ride, \$1000. Kevin Smith, Independence, 70443; (225) 567-6196.

**AQHA geld.,** Doc Bar & Dry Doc bloodlines, team roping or western pleasure, \$3500. Chad Sonnier, Carencro, 70520; (337) 668-4930.

'93 Reg. Arabian Bay geld., prof. trained in cutting & speed events, \$3500. Lisa Topham, Patterson, 70392; (985) 399-6879 or (985) 384-5849

**'01 APHA** Tobiano filly, well built, very gentle, Doc Bar & Col. Freckles bloodlines, halter broke, \$1000. Jean Causey, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 644-5381 or (225) 644-4238

**Gaited gelding,** sorrel & wht., very gentle, anyone can ride, \$850. Blake Veillon, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4355 or cell (337) 831-3247.

**'99 APHA** sorrel Overo gelding, started sire has points in several events, great horse in any discipline, \$3000. Candace Plauché, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-0796.

**'01 APHA** colts, 1 bay/wht., 1 buckskin/wht., Joechief Bar, Sky Bug Bingo, Peppy Spook bloodlines, good conf., \$1000/ea. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**'01 APHA** Homozygous filly, sorrel/wht., very gentle, halter broke, flashy, \$1800. Mitzi Thomassie, Gonzales, 70738; (225) 644-4238 or (225) 644-5381.

## STALLION SERVICE

**Buckskin stallion,** son of Freckles Bader Bar, Ben Bar Misty, colts at place to show, \$250/\$2 mare care. John Martin, Moreauville, 71355; (318) 997-2284.

**AQHA,** Palomino, Smart Peppys Playboy, Smart Peppy Doc X Miss Cutter Belle, \$650, \$6 & \$8/day mare care. Mike Johnson, Sulphur, 70663; (337) 527-5426.

**AQHA, sorrel,** Captain Lena, Doc O'Lena x Joker's Royal, \$650, \$6 & \$8/day mare care. Bert McGavock, Sulphur, 70663; (337) 528-8663

**APHA Red** Roan Tobiano, Jr. Colord Berry, Color Me Smart x Doc

Leo Berry, \$650, \$6 & \$8/day mare care. Jerreth Robinson, Sulphur, 70663; (337) 527-3401.

**Reg. TWHBEA,** SSHBEA, NSSHA, RHBEA, blk. & wht. Tobiano stallion, \$250/\$5 mare care. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, 70090; (985) 783-7217 or (504) 628-0372.

**AQHA, Red Dun,** grandson of Poco Bueno, Dun the Cowboy, Poco King Tuck x Dregers Poco Lass, \$500, \$6 & \$8/day mare care. Shane Sal, Sulphur, 70663; (337) 725-6435.

**AQHA bay** stallion, Streaking La Jolla, Zevi, Three Oh's, \$300/\$6 day mare care. Barbara Guidry, Oberlin, 70655; (337) 639-2671.

**AQHA gray** stallion, SI 101, Winner of 16 races, Dash for Cash, Go Man Go, Rebel Cause, Three Bars, \$500/\$6 day mare care. Richard Guidry, Oberlin, 70655; (337) 639-2671

**Caddo Creek** Quixote, Doc's Quixtrix, Ewell Hickory x Doc Hickory, \$750/\$5 day dry mare care, \$6/day wet mare care. Terry Miller, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-9280.

**Reg. AQHA** Palomino, Doc Bar Peppy San, Pudden Head, King P-235, \$350/\$3 day mare care. Earlin Gautreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

**Reg. Blk.** & Wht. App., Cooterville Echohawk, Double Six Domino, Geronimo, Pudden Head, Leo San, \$200/\$3 day mare care. Hermina Gautreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

**AQHA Palomino**, King, Doc Bar, Sandy Rock, Hollywood Buck, \$500/\$3 day mare care. D. Newman, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 730-6622.

**AQHA Red** Dun stallion, 98.4% Foundation breeding, \$350. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 933-1856.

**AQHA Line** Back Dun, son of Gay Bar King, Three Bars, Stars, Estrelita, Scroggins Little Star, Cutter, Speed, \$500. Lanie Reed, Westlake, 70069; (337) 491-0922.

**ISHR stallion** tri color, \$250/\$2 mare care. David Schultz, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-3152.

**Smart Little** Lena, own son of Smart Zan Lena out of Sparkle Suzanne, \$750/\$6 day mare care. Kevin Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

**AQHA Palomino,** son of Gay Holly Bars, World Champion Cutting Horse, \$300. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

**Cool Exception** by Ima Cool Skip out of Miss Fancy Skips, AQHA, Incentive Fund, \$500. Joe Cole, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-8848.

**Black Leopard** Appaloosa, 3rd generation Leopard, Banjo K. Plaudit, \$300/free mare care if you supply the feed. Jason Sykes, Holden, 70744; (225) 294-6748.

**APHA blk.** homozygous stallion, Doc's Black Pine Bar, Joleenes Jody, \$200, mare care avail. Kelly Sykes, Holden, 70744; (225) 294-

**Homozygous** APHA blk. & wht. stallion, '98 MS. Grand Champion in halter, guaranteed Paint, \$250/\$5 day mare care. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, 70776; (225) 644-5381 or (225) 644-4238.

AQHA Palomino, prof. trained

cutting horse off Doc O'Lena, Smart Little Lena, Col. Freckles, Dry Doc, 75% color, \$400/\$1 day mare care. Robert Granger, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

**Cremello** QH-APHA buckskins & Palomino foals from bay and chestnut mares, Dash for Cash, Zan Parr Bar, Skipper W, \$400. L. Lyon, Welsh, 70591; (337) 753-2590.

**AQHA gray,** Gun Powder Blue, Playgun X Docs, great conf., \$650, mare care \$6 & \$8/day. Gordy Broussard, Sulphur, 70663; (337) 527-5353.

### **SHEEP & GOATS**

**Sheep**, \$60/male, \$50/female. Le Roy Alleman, Duson, 70529; (337) 873-3350.

**Dorper sheep,** rams, ewes, \$1000/1-up. George Gomez, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9900.

**Reg. 100%** Boer Buck, ready for breeding, papers, \$350. P. Callac, Pearl River, 70452; (985) 863-3531.

**Barbados,** Black Belly Rams, very tame, beautiful racks & markings, \$50 or will trade for Ewe/Lamb. Melinda Michiels, Baker, 70714; (225) 775-2765.

**100% Boer** buck, can be reg., \$150. Carol Hatwig, Elmer, 71424; (318) 659-4228.

**Boer goats,** 7/8 bred does by S.A., \$125/1-up; male & female kids from 7/8 nannies, \$100/1-up, with papers. Anthony Mumphrey, Eunice, 70535; (337) 550-0826.

**Boer bucks**, 100% & reg., \$200/ 1 or will trade for Boer buck or doe. Mitchell Roshto, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-1967.

**Reg. Pygmy**, blk. buck, \$100 or will trade for Reg. Fainting Boar or Blue-Eyed Nigerian Dwarf. Rosemary Abadie, Metairie, 70001; (504) 701-8816

**Katahdin Ram,** 3 yrs. old in spring, not reg., \$100. A. Clifton, DeQuincy, 70633; (337) 786-8272.

**4 Suffolk Ewes**, \$125 - \$150/1, 1 Hampshire Ram, \$125 or \$750/all. Richard Moore, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-5593.

### LIVESTOCK DOGS

Only trained farm stockdogs or offspring from trained stockdogs are eligible to be advertised. Include dog's breeding and special training or ability that qualifies it as a stockdog. A signed statement must accompany each notice indicating these facts, before the ad can be published.

**Border Collie** pups, 8 wks. old, blk. & wht., out of working stock, \$200/1. Ronald Pourciau, Baton Rouge, 70818; (225) 261-5945.

**Australian Shepherd** puppies from working/trailing stock, all colors guaranteed, Slash V & Crown Point breeding, \$300/1. Mary Logue, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 622-6833.

**Reg. Great** Pyrenees puppies, shots & wormed \$250/1. Penny McCollough, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 358-3329.

**Reg. Border** collie, 2 yrs. old, \$250/1 or trade. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Australian Shepherd** puppies, fb, without papers, \$150, \$225/with papers. Jane Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (504) 878-4151.

**Wanted:** Collie, same color as Lassie, AKC with papers, female.

Lawrence Kelly, Oberlin, 70655; (337) 639-4552.

### **FARMLAND**

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

**Rapides parish,** 130 acre Catfish farm, 80 water acres, shop & equipment sheds, deep water wells, hatchery, \$250,000. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

# DOMESTICATED BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

Advertisements will not be accepted from retail shops and/or their owners.

**Breeder birds**, Blue & Gold, Military, Greenwings, \$800/pr.; Sulphur Crescent, \$700/pr.; Mollucan Cockatoo, \$1200/pr. Robert Williams, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 261-2351.

Indian Ringneck parakeets, Violet, Dark-green/blue, Turquoise, Grey, Lacewings, Greens split to various mutations, \$150 - \$5000/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

**Doves, Ringnecks,** \$5/1; Pieds, \$6/1; Tangerine, \$7/1; prs., \$12-\$20. J. Bernard, Carencro, 70500; (337) 896-8619.

**Blue Crown** Conure, DNA sexed male, \$200. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette, 70544; (337) 276-6164.

Green Cheek Conure, \$110/1; Parrotlet male, \$100/1; Female Red Rump, \$65/1; Parakeets, \$8/1; Cockatiels, \$25/1-up. Clara Broussard, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6745.

**Gouldian Finches**, \$115/pr.; Society Finches, \$5/1 or \$20/pr. Danny Chauvin, Houma, 70364; (985) 876-7966

**BF Amazon pr.,** \$700; Indian Ringnecks, \$50/1-up. Camala Daigle, Evangeline, 70537; (337) 824-6260.

**Canaries**, \$20/1-up. Ronald Gaillard, New Orleans, 70127; (504) 246-7845.

**Patagonian Conure** proven pr., \$400/pr.; babies, \$200/1. Sandy Gonzales, Houma, 70360; (985) 872-3550.

**Love Birds,** many colors, \$15/1-up, discount avail. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, 70391; (985) 369-6952.

**Double Yellowheads,** \$575; Nandy Conure, \$150; Breeder males, Sun Conure, \$250/1; parakeets, \$8/1. Sonya Langley, Independence, 70443; (985) 878-4779.

**Red-Rump** parakeets, \$80/pr; Zebra Finches, \$45/1; Zebra Doves, \$25/1. Wes McVay, Gretna, 70056; (504) 392-5312.

**3 Plum Head** parakeets, \$125/1 or \$300/3. Andrew Nuschler, Covington, 70435; (985) 892-7631.

Conures & Parrots, cages, \$450/1-up; Cockatiels, \$90/pr., Love Birds, \$40/pr.-up. Linda Prejean, Church Point, 70525; (337) 948-4359.

**Cockatiels,** all w/f mutations & Albinos, \$60 - \$75/pr.; DNA sexed, egg-laying pr. Blue Front Amazons, \$800. Bill Redmon, Alexandria, 71303; (318) 484-3564.

**Cockatiels,** Love Birds, \$20 - \$70; Doves, \$5/1. Sandy Rider, Patterson, 70392; (985) 395-9743.

**Proven Dbl.** Yellow, \$1500/pr.; Ringnecks, Albino, Lutino,\$50/1-up; female Sun, \$250; Love Birds, \$15/1; breeder cages, \$25. R. Steib, Vacherie, 70090; (225) 265-4824.

Cockatiels, lg., young, hf, Lutino, Albino, Cinnamon, Pied, Pearl, White Face, Grays, \$35/1-up; breeding age, \$25/1-up. Samantha Ivy, Morgan City, 70380; (985) 631-3498.

**80 parakeets,** 15 cockatiels, 12 Love Birds, 10 English Budgies, 20 - 30 nesting boxes, \$800/all. Johnny McMorris, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 386-8852 or (985) 969-0151

**GQF 1266** Incubator, brooder & 3 scales, \$250. Thoma Boyles, Raceland, 70394; (985) 537-6346.

**Sun Conure pr.,** \$450/pr.; Proven pr. Green Cheek Conures, \$150; Albino proven female cockatiels, \$50/1. A. Fuselier, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-5667.

**Breeder cockatiels**, greys to albino, hf Cockatiels, Love Birds, Senegal, Black Calgue, \$40 - \$550. Donna Gardner, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 262-7947.

**Breeder prs.,** Jardines, \$1400; Lutino Princess of Wales, \$1200; Yellowsided Conures, \$550; Ringnecks, \$400, some singles, \$350/1-up. Glenn Allen, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-1908.

**Breeder prs.** Indian Ringnecks, \$200/1-up, discount price avail. Joe Guidry, Duson, 70529; (337) 873-8887

**Double Yellow** Head pr., \$1250 or trade for Red Sided Eclectus pr. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Proven pr.** Bronze Wing Pionus, \$1000; Senegals, \$400/pr.; Pastel Blue Turquoise Indian Ringnecks, \$800/pr.; Nanday Conures, \$250/pr.; Cockatiels, \$50/pr. Patsy Guidry, Duson, 70529; (337) 873-8887

**Ringneck Dove,** young unpaired birds, \$5/1. Thomas Rowell, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-5729.

**Cockatiels**, \$20/1. Alice Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Wanted:** Pr. of breeding Heart Doves & male Green Wing dove. Joe Vaurigaud, Hammond, 70403; (225) 567-9055.

### **PIGEONS**

**Black Modena,** \$10/1; Black Cock, \$5/1; Blue Kings, \$12/1; White Kings, \$12.50/1. Joe Collura, Lake Charles, 70601; (318) 477-2879.

**Racing Homers,** \$5/1 or \$10/pr.; Fantails, \$10/pr. Doug Johnson, Baton Rouge, 70821; (225) 267-9842.

**Birmingham Rollers,** \$7.50/1 or \$5/1 if 10 or more taken. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, 70391; (985) 369-6952

### FARMRAISED DEER

**Trophy Elks**, \$2000/1-up; Trophy Fallows, \$500/1. Herbert LeJeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2053

### POULTRY, GAME, FOWL & EGGS

**Super lg. Quail** hatching eggs, \$20/100 plus shipping; live birds, 75¢/1. G. Chauvin, Schriever, 70395; (985) 448-3360.

**9 Eastern Wild** turkeys, 8 mos. & up, non pinioned, \$400. Doc Lanier, Youngsville, 70592; (337) 984-4271 or (337) 856-5456.

**Buff Orpington** baby chicks, 75¢/ea.; Fresh Buff Orphington Country eggs, 80¢/doz. Dustin Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Full flight** Mallard breeders, 1 yr. old, \$8/1; full flight long tail Ringnecks, some taxidermist specimens, \$10/1. Mary Terrell, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-3225.

**Peacocks**, \$50/1; Rhode Island chicks, 75¢/1. Cooper Allen, Walker, 70785; (225) 665-6068.

**Laying hens,** 1 yr. old, 2 roosters, 20 guineas, \$4/1 if all taken. Octave LaCaze, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3416.

**Lady Amhearst** Pheasant, 3 hens, 1 male, \$75/all; Chukars, \$5/1; Bantams, \$5/1. R. Lewis, Leesville, 71446; (337) 383-7371.

**200 Bobwhite** Quail, \$2/1. James Madere, Hahnville, 70057; (985) 783-6367.

**Lg. Guineas,** \$7/1; 2 lg. male Peking ducks, \$7/1; 6 asst. lg. male ducks, \$7/1; Baby Quail, 35¢/1. Kathy Matte, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7130.

**Wanted:** Male Peking duck, can buy several. Cherry Jochum, Baton Rouge, 70890; (225) 336-9373.

**Wanted:** Chickens, Ducks, Guineas, Geese, Turkeys, Roosters, Bantams, Pullets. Wilbur Leger, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-4949.

## AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Blue Catfish,** 25¢/1; Channel Cat, 20¢/1; Bluegill, 20¢/1; Chinquapin, 25¢/1; Black Crappie, 30¢/1; Koi, 50¢/1-up, del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, 71055; (318) 377-1525.

**Bass, 60¢/1;** Blue Gill, 20¢/1; Crappie, 30¢/1; Chinquapin, 30¢/1; Catfish, 20¢/1; Hybrids, 25¢/1; Carp, \$9/1; Minnows, \$8/lb., del. avail. Frank Book, Shreveport, 71107; (318) 929-4251.

### SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

**Gourds & seeds,** sm., med., lg., all kinds, \$2 - \$5, will ship. Anthony Yakaboski, Farmerville, 71241; (318) 368-0245.

Amelia Formal double pink, \$28/1; Sweet Olive, \$18/1; Bay Leaf Magnolia, \$20/1; Birdhouse Gourd seed, \$1.50/50 seed pkt., with SASE. James Robin, 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

**Gourd seeds,** bushel or bat, \$100; Tobacco seeds, \$1; Lady Finger seeds, \$6/lb.; Morning Glory seeds, Scarlet O'Hara, \$1; Texas Star seeds, \$1. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7176.

Clematis, Lavender, \$10; Mexi-

can Petunia, \$4; Daylilies, mixed, \$3; Gardenias, \$2; Hydrangeas, \$5; Shasta Daisy, \$2. Nell Ardoin, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7176.

**Cowhorn Okra** seed, \$5/lb. at place. Gerald Cox, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4473.

**Velvet Bean** seed, \$5/200 seeds, \$8/400 seeds, plus postage. Willie Provost, 15313 Plank Rd., Baker, 70714; (225) 775-5851.

Hot Peter Pepper, \$1/50 seed pkt. with SASE. Cleveland Guidry, 918 Ash St., Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-2042.

**Palmettos,** Jap. Plums, Wax Myrtles, So. Yews, Candy Stripe Camellias, Dwarf Pomegranates, Indian Hawthorn, \$5/3 gal. J. Stelly, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4528.

**Ajuga (bronze),** 3" or 4" pots, \$1 & \$1.25/1; Tangi, Ozark Beauty, Daybreak, Klondike Strawberry plants, \$2/dz. George Waltner, Hammond, 70402; (985) 687-5831.

## RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**New Zealands**, California's, Satin Cross, all ages, \$5/1-up. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette, 70544; (337) 276-6164.

**Ped. or Non-Ped.** Seedstock, New Zealand Whites, Mini-Rex, \$10/1. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (504) 868-2693.

**PB San Juans,** Legoudees or mix, excellent runners, \$5/1-up. Carol Kimball, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-0243.

**Lg. Ped. Flemish** Giants, 2½ mos. old, 3 does, \$25/1 Non-Pedigree Flemish Giants, Chinchilla Giants, Checker Giants, French Lops, Calif. & NZW, \$6/1. Charles Millet, Morganza, 70759; (225) 694-3962.

**Wanted:** Preferable New Zealands, Californias & mixed breeds, 8 lbs., & up. John Rodi, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-0726.

### NUTS

**Large Pecan** in shell, new crop, Elliots, \$1/lb.; Candy, 75 ¢/lb.; Owen, 65 ¢/lb. others, 60 ¢/lb. Gordon Chutz, Ventress, 70783; (225) 638-7894 or (225) 718-0497.

### **FERTILIZER**

**R & B horse** manure, fresh to well-rotted, \$1/truck load, you load. A. Owings, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4180.

**50 lb. bag,** excellent for flowers, roses & gardens, \$5/bal. Carol Kimball, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-0243.

## TREES & FRUITING VINES

**Mayhaw trees,** superior large fruited varieties, Native seedlings, Parsley haw, Super/graft Mexican Plum, Mexican Plum, Magnolia, \$5 - \$25/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

Blueberry bushes, 1 gallon pot-

ted, 2'-3' tall, 4 varieties, \$4/1. Chris Disher, Lafayette, 70508; (337) 280-6919.

**Celeste Fig,** 18" - 4', \$4 - \$8/1. Kirby Neck, Mansura, 71350; (318) 253-7408.

**LA. Bald** Cypress trees, 1yr. old, \$8/ea.; 3 yr. old, \$23/ea. Diane Bordelon, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 345-4280.

**Shumard Oak,** 3 yrs. old, 15 gal., \$25/1; Grafted Pecan, Oconne, Jackson, Sumner, 15 gal. container, \$35. James Robin, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

**Eucalyptus**, \$12/1; Fig, \$5/gal.; Forsythia bush, \$8/1; Purple Petticoat Angel Trumpet, \$10/1; Strawberry plant, bare root, \$1/4. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7176.

**Live Oak,** 6' - 15' in 20 gal. pots, or in the ground, \$30 - \$75/1. Lee Cook, Husser, 70443; (985) 748-7043 or (985) 748-5997.

**Satsumas,** Brown Select, \$10; Live Oaks, 6 point, \$35. James Dufrense, Vacherie, 70090; (225) 265-2690.

### **HAY & GRAIN**

'01 rd. bales, 5½' Rye Grass & Oats, fert., \$20/bale under barn. Pat Prather, Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-5052

**Bermuda & Bahia** hay, 5'x5' rd. bales, cured without rain, some stored in barn, \$15/1. Floyd Cole, Sicily Island, 71368; (318) 389-5779.

**Alicia Bermuda**, fert., \$3.65/bale. Rod McKinney, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-5197.

'01 Alicia & Bahia mix, fert. cured without rain, barn kept, sq. bales, \$2.50/bale. Bennie Plunket, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-8000.

**160 5'x5' rolls,** \$18/1 or \$17/if all taken; 500 clean & fert. Jigg Bermuda sq. bales, \$3.25/1 or \$3/1 if 100 or more taken. Craig Soileau, Ville Platte, 70706; (337) 506-2200 or (337) 831-1844.

**'01 Bahia,** 4'x5' rd. bales, good quality, \$15/bale, \$14/1 if 10 or more taken. Arnold Bahm, Baton Rouge, 70808; (225) 769-0850.

**Rye grass,** 4'x5' rolls, kept under barn, del. avail., \$30/bale. Carroll Boudreaux, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 229-8100.

**Bahia Bermuda** Jiggs, sq. bales, \$3/bale. Al Breaux, Duson, 70529; (337) 873-8961.

'01 Jiggs Bermuda, fert., no rain, 5'x5' rd. bales, \$17/1. F. Calbeck, Alexandria, 71302; (337) 443-2231.

**Bahia,** 5'x5' bales, kept under shed, well fert., \$25/bale. Loyton Courville, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-

**4'x5' rd. bale** Bahia, \$220/1; mixed grass, 4'x5' rd. bales, \$18/1; sq. bales, mixed grass, \$2/1, delivery avail. Claude Daniel, Baton Rouge, 70810; (225) 763-6296.

'01 Bahia sq. bales, \$2.75/1; cut short, \$3.25/1, all fert., weed free, cured without rain; rd. 4' x 5' Bahia in barn, \$24/1. Nelson Doolittle, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-6111.

**5'x5' Bahia** rd. bales, freshly cut, \$20/1. Larry Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2726.

187 bales of 4' x 5' mixed grass

hay, \$15/1 or \$12/1 if all taken. Terry Duhon, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-5998 or (337) 684-3459.

**Bahia & Alicia,** 4'x5' 1700 lb. bales, \$25/1. C. Duplechian, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-2989.

**Balage,** Rye grass, \$40/bale; Bahia, \$32/bale; Crabgrass, \$32/bale, all wrapped, high quality. Mark Harrison, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 877-4602.

Wheat straw, clean, large, tight sq. bales, bound with nylon twine, \$2/1. Tim Johnson, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7570.

**Homemade cattle** feed, 11% protein, 50 lb. bags, \$158/ton. J. Landreneau, Ville Platte, (337) 363-6088.

'01 Bahia, 4' x 5½' rd. bales, good quality, \$15/bale. Don Lord, Jackson, 70748; (225) 634-2618.

**Hay, lg. rolls,** 5' x 5', 1500 lb., \$18/ bale. Berwick Oliver, Bourg, 70343; (985) 594-2740.

**Bahia rd. bales,** \$30/bale, del. avail. Ralph Racca, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-1539.

**Mixed Bahia,** '01 sq. bales, \$2/1. Co Co Rousseau, Paintcourtville, 70391; (985) 369-6570, after 5 p.m, & weekends.

**Lg. sq. bales** of fert. Alicia Bermuda horse hay, \$3/1; 4' x 5' roll fert. mixed Bermuda, Bahia, Rye grass hay, \$20/1. John Whitaker, Natchitoches, 71457; (318) 472-8418.

**4' x 5' rd.** bales Bahia & Carpet grass, will load, \$14/bale. Roger Amedee, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 675-5739.

**Bahia, sq.** bales, excel. quality, \$3/bale; 4' x 5' rd. bales Bahia, stored inside, \$25/1, \$15/1 stored outside, \$10/1 stored outside if 100 or more taken. Lee Cook, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7043.

Alicia, 6' x 4' rd. bales, stored in barn, \$28/bale; Bahia, 6' x 4' rd. bales stored in barn, \$28/bale. Anita Craig, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-3839.

'01 Common Bahia, sq. bales, no weeds, \$2.50/bale in barn. Ross Patin, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 280-5169 or (337) 981-8448.

'01 Jiggs Bermuda hay, fert., 4'x5' bales, in barn, \$20/1; '01 Common Bahia, 4' x 5' bales in barn, \$17/1. Mike Richard, Iowa, 70647; (337) 494-0421.

**Bahia hay,** no weeds, 5' x 5' bales, will load, \$17/1. Harry Roark, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 654-8088.

**Bahia hay,** 5' x 5' rd. bales, cured without rain, stored in barn, \$25/ bale; sq. bales, \$2.75/1. Anthony Santangelo, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 542-6080.

'01 Bahia, good horse quality, fert., weed free, lg. sq. bales, \$3/1, \$2.75/1 if 100 or more taken. Adrian Spell, Bush, 70431; (985) 892-6694.

**Alicia Bermuda,** \$4.25/bale; Bahia grass, \$3.50/bale; Rye grass baleage, \$50/bale. Delos Thompson, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9872.

'01 Bahia sq. bales, \$2.25/bale at barn. Louis Blanchard, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 644-2745.

Alicia hay, fert. to test, no rain, \$3.50/bale in barn, del. avail., hay located in Morrow. Wilery Bordelon, Baton Rouge, 70811; (225) 355-1514.

Alicia Bermuda horse hay, sq. bales, in barn, \$3/1; Bahia rd. bales, 4' x 5', in barn, \$25/1. Harry Carner, Leesville, 71446; (337) 239-7492.

**Alicia horse** hay, in barn, \$3.50/1; 4' x 5' rd. bales, Bahia, \$15/1. Glyn Cavin, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 654-7690

Alicia Bahia 4' x 5' rd. bales, horse hay in barn, \$30/1; mixed grass cattle hay, \$20/1. Brandy Cella, Bush, 70431; (985) 892-0240.

**1200 sq.** bales Alicia/Coastal hay, well fert., horse quality, \$3/bale; 20 rolls of Alicia, well fert., \$20/roll; 20 rolls of Russel Bermuda, well fert., \$20/roll. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

'01 quality Jiggs Bermuda, \$3.50/bale in barn, \$4 - \$4.50/bale deliv., not unloaded. Don Bernard, Lafayette, 70506; (337) 989-9675.

'01 Bahia, 4' x 5' rd. bales, fert. & limed, in barn, \$20/bale. Gary Berry, Vinton, 70668; (337) 589-7834.

**5' x 5' rd.** bales, good hay, cured without rain, good hard bales, \$20/bale. Miles Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-2270.

'01 rd. bales, Bahia & Alicia, cured without rain, 4' x 5', \$12/1, \$8/ bale if all taken. I. McCollough, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 358-3329.

**5' x 6' rolls**, 1600 lbs., mixed grass, fert., cured without rain, \$18/ roll, quantity discount. Ken Richard, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3151 or (318) 664-2615.

**Alicia/Bahia,** 4'x 5' rolls, no weeds, hay. fert., under barn, delivery avail., \$30/ea. Joe Pieri, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9538 or (504) 832-0885.

**Wanted:** Fresh home ground yellow corn meal. Tommy Hidalgo, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-6407.

## TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

**Lely disc** type hay cutter, 7'8" cut, field ready, excel. cond., \$3500. Harry Carner, Leesville, 71446; (337) 239-7492.

**Ditching blade,** side mounted on Ford tractor, \$175. Buford Landreneau, Washington, 70589; (337) 363-8095.

**IH 715 Combine**, \$1800; (3) 23.1-26 tires for \$75/ea. Ronald Picard, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-2179.

**7700 JD** Combine, c/a, 4 wheel drive w/18' header, field ready, excel. cond., \$6500; grain cart, shop built, \$875. Dale Pousson, Egan, 70531; (337) 783-8118.

**Iseki 180,** 4 wheel drive, 22 hp 3 cyl. diesel trac., 633 hrs., \$5500; Cole G-12 MX planter & fertilizer, \$700. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**8N Ford** trac., good cond., \$2500; 5' bush hog, good cond., \$350; dbl. set disc, \$155 or \$3500/ all. Oda Tate, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 386-8450.

**Hayforks,** shop built, hvy. duty, lifts 4'x 5' & 6'x 6' rd. bales, new \$140. Blake Veillon, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4355 or cell (337) 831-3247.

**(2) Ground** driven hay rakes, 3 pt., excel. cond., 8 wheel V rake, \$850; 4 wheel rake, \$500. John

Whitaker, Natchitoches, 71457; (318) 472-8418.

**JD 535** rd. baler, \$9000; (2) JD corn planters, very good cond., \$250/both. Rodney Buller, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-3740.

(2) NH 85 rd. bale movers, \$1500/ea.; Dickey 8 row folding cultivator w/spray fenders, \$2000. A. Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

Case IH 8940 MFWD trac., '97 Tanks rack hitch, 1700 hrs., \$62,500. M. Bordelon, Moreauville, 71355; (318) 985-2889.

**16' Extend-A-Hoe** Case Cat III, \$1800 or trade for smaller backhoe attachment. Sonny Bougeard, Church Point, 70525; (337) 873-4062.

**7100 JD** 8R planter, \$400; 8R Lilliston cultivator, \$100; 24' GSI working grain bins & Hutchinson Bazooka 40,000 lb. scale, 10", \$6000. P. Broussard, Maurice, 70555; (337) 893-1751.

**JD 2030,** excel. trac., 50 hp, p/s, \$550; JD 4840 c/a, 4300 hrs., \$13,000; 3600 Ford canopy, power steering, 1 remote, \$5300. F. Coldiron, Jonesville, 71343; (318) 339-7876.

**7776 NH baler,** 5'x 5', 4 mos. old, under warrantee, rolled 300 bales to show, \$16,000. Loyton Courville, Sunset 70584; (337) 662-3758.

**4-53 Detroit** rebuilt diesel power unit, \$3500; submersible water pump, 6" suction, 3" outlet, 25 hp, 3 phase w/pipe, \$1200. Michael Daigle, Branch, 70516; (337) 686-6674

**5' bushhog,** good cond., med. duty, \$300. Claude Daniel, Baton Rouge, 70810; (225) 763-6296.

**Frontend** loader, bucket off of Massey Ferguson loader, will fit other loaders, \$150. Harry Lancon, Sulphur, 70665; (337) 583-7439.

(2) **Red Cub** trac., with some equip.; (1) A.C. B trac., w/plows, \$3750/all 3. Ronald Massey, 3568 Tisdale Rd., Eros, 71238; (318) 249-

**JD 4230** trac., c/a, quad range, 100 hp, 18.4 x 38 singles, \$13,500. J. Montgomery, Bell City, 70630; (337) 622-3689 or (337) 562-0478.

**IH 622** Cotton picker, \$2000; IH 550, 5 bottom mold board plow w/3 pt. hitch, \$550. Clyde Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

**Gradall G3R,** 3 cyl. Detroit, 17.5 x 25 tires, \$8000; Air Deutz power unit/gen. set, 80 kw, 6 cyl. engine, \$5000. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

Ford 7840 trac., cab & air, front end loader w/joystick, 2550 hrs., excel. cond., \$30,000. Berwick Olivier, Bourg, 70343; (985) 594-2740.

**2** Gravley 526's, 1 runs, \$250; 1 repairable, \$150, 2 mowing decks, \$100/ea.; plow, \$150; tiller, \$200; sulky, \$100 or \$750/all. Anthony Pizzolato, Walker, 70785; (225) 665-8662.

**Kelly 6-row** Roll cultivator, \$150; tool bar, 2½x2½x10', \$100; 2 piece tool bar, 2½x2½x12', \$200. Elmo Savoie, Sunset, 70584; (337) 668-4526.

**(2) Farmall M's,** \$3000/both. Dave Schultz, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-3152.

(2) **7720 JD** combines, 4 w.d.,

24' & 18' headers, under shed, good cond., \$15,000; Rayne plane rice cart, \$2000 or trade all for cattle. Ulysse Simon, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-3826.

**1586 IH** trac. & 5488 IH trac., both c/a, duals, excel. cond., new eng. on 5488, \$11,000; & \$13,995. James Stacy, Natchitoches, 71458; (318) 352-3692.

**4' Box** Scraper, \$360; 5' bush hog, \$658; 5' Finish mower, \$1100; 30" scoop, \$360; 16"x 16" chopper discs, \$549; post hole digger, \$495. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (504) 868-2693.

**NH 1002** Stackliner, holds 55 bales, very good shape, \$2800. Roy Varnado, Iota, 70543; (337) 824-3887

**440 JD** bulldozer, Poppin' John w/Gearmatic winch, 2 cyl. gas eng., 7½' hyd. blade, \$5900. C. Walsdorf, Mandeville, 70471; (985) 626-4122.

**TD 20B** Int. bulldozer, recent overhaul, \$12,000; '57 Ford 700 trac., 35 hp, \$2000; '51 Ford 8N trac., \$2000. Justin Bahm, Loranger, 70446; (985) 748-7295.

**2-12x38** trac. tires, tubes & rims off Farmall trac., & 2-3 rib 600-16 tires & tubes like new, \$300/all. Johnnie Blalack, Waterproof, 71375; (318) 757-3758.

**Small grinder** mixer, \$600; JD 1-row corn puller, \$500; Hesston 5580 rd. baler, \$800; JD 8' 2-way plow, \$600; NH sq. baler, \$300. Gary Burks, Starks, 70661; (337) 743-5487.

**4840 JD** trac., very good cond., 22' JD disc, new style, good blades, 5-blade 14' water leveler, \$25,000/all. Roy Faulk, Gueydan, 70542; (337) 536-6632.

**AC D** road grader, floating mold board, new: eng., clutch, pressure plates, 2 tires, radiator, carburetor, distributor, fuel tank, \$6750. Don Gallemore, Longville, 70652; (337) 725-3480.

**IH 8 mw** 186 hill-drop planter, \$800; Forest City 8 row folding hipper w/markers, \$1000. Billie Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

**8 row Dickie** cult. w/spray attachment, excel. cond., \$1800. Ken Richardson, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3151 or (318) 664-2615.

**8N Ford** trac. w/hvy. duty set of ball bearing discs, good tires, \$2700. Clarence Rogers, Pollock, 71467; (318) 765-9610.

**Ford 3000** diesel trac., 8 speed, hyd. remote p/s, 42 hp, \$4900; JD 2030 diesel 8 speed, p/s hyd. remote, 61 hp, \$5900. E. Ryan, Marksville, 71351; (318) 240-7388.

**JD 310-A** backhoe, 4 cyl. diesel shuttle shift, joystick control, no leaks, looks, runs & operates good, \$11,500. Ronald Sharp, Springfield, 70462; (225) 695-3627.

**Gandy Fert.** Dist., \$50; Eze Flo, \$25. Dennis Crain, Winnsboro, 71295; (318) 435-4280.

**8N Ford** trac., eng. completely overhauled, 12V sys., \$3000. James Degeyter, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-7682.

All excel. cond., JD 8 row cultivator, \$2500; 8 row lay-by rig, \$1000; Crustbuster grain drill, \$1200; good cond., 8 row hipper, \$2500. Bobby Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

Impex Int. Hwy. 830 Series, 3 pt.

Cat. 2, 4' arm mower, complete self contained hyd. sys., 1000 hrs., \$1000. W. Dugas, Brusly, 70719; (225) 749-8986.

'97 580L Case backhoe, 1670 hrs., 2 buckets, great cond., \$21,800. Terry Grady, 17651 Hwy. 417, Batchelor, 70715; (225) 492-3211.

'78 Versatile 850 w/3 pt., very good cond., \$20,000. Larry LeJeune, 1233 Schultz Rd., Iota, 70543; (337) 779-3304.

Ford 7740SL trac., c/a w/loader, quick attach bucket & spears, new alt. & hyd. pump w/rebuilt PTO, \$23,000. Packy Mitchell, Bossier, 71112; (318) 746-5314 after 5 p.m.

**10' Aerway** w/11' chain harrow & harrow transport, \$5250/all. Don Peroyea, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-4278

**JD 630** sisc, 27', good cond., good blades, \$8000. Mike Pousson, Ginger Rd., Iota, 70543; (337) 779-3426.

**Vermeer 605C**, good working cond., used this year, \$2000. Anthony Santangelo, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 542-6080.

**JD 4430**, 2500 actual hrs., quad range, 4-post duals, all original trac., \$14,000. James Taylor, Winnsboro, 71295; (318) 435-3010.

**IH 340** Utility trac., 3 point hitch, \$2500. J. Wingate, Baton Rouge, 70818; (225) 261-3890.

**IH Super A** tractor with tools, \$3000. Larry Corbitt, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 665-5570.

**JD 450** Dozer, excel. eng., fair undercarriage, good for farm use, \$5500. Doug Dorhauer, Denham Springs, 70706; (225) 665-2788.

Farmall Cub turf tires & 4" Woods belly mower, \$1500; Manatrac Jr. Crawler trac., 42" dozer blade, 38" loader bucket, 70 hrs., \$6500. Lee Featherstone, Iowa, 70648; (337) 582-5480.

**605-G Vermeer** hay roller, very good cond., shedded, most bearings replaced, wide belts, \$3150 or trade for yearling cattle. W. Gandy, Many, 71449; (318) 256-5235.

Case IH 900 6-row planters w/monitors, chem. boxes & spray attachments, excel. cond., \$3000. Michael Hollier, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 879-2500.

'89 JD 2755, 75 hp, 1230 orig. hrs., like new, barn kept, \$18,500. Philip Monteleone, Hammond, 70403; (985) 345-8845.

**Cub w/belly** mower, \$1700; 225 Kabota, \$1800; 135 Massy-Ferguson, \$4800; \$175; cultivators, \$450/ea.; pan plow, \$200. John Womack, Winnfield, 71483; (318) 628-6768 after 6 p.m.

IH Middlebuster, 4-row, 3 pt. hitch, \$500; IH rotary hoe, 4-row, 3 pt. hitch, \$750; Liliston 4-row rolling cultivator, \$700. Syd Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

International 1486, dual wheels, excel. cond., \$6500. Anthony Yakaboski, Farmerville, 71241; (318) 368-0245.

**Wanted:** 3 pt. hitch planter that will plant small seeds, ex. cabbage, turnips, collards, 1 to 4 rows. Anthony Yababoski, Farmerville, 71241; (318) 368-0245

**Wanted:** Sweet potato planter, 2 to 4 rows. Pat Huffman, Cloutier-

ville, 71416; (318) 379-2382, leave message w/number.

**Wanted:** 3000 Ford diesel motor parts, 3 cyl. head, starter, fuel pump, radiator, intake manifold. Jim Kelly, Keithville, 71047; (318) 925-1304, call collect.

Wanted: Square hay baler. Glen Leger, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-3344.

Wanted: Disc plow, 6' or 7', 3 pt. hitch. Charlene Olivier, Arnaudville, 70512; (800) 874-9323 from 8-5 Mon.-Fri., leave msg.

**Wanted:** Bushhog brand bushhog, model 108 for parts. James Coile, Plain Dealing, 71064; (318) 326-4876.

**Wanted:** Front end loader for Long 360 tractor, used. Cecil Corbello, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-6315.

**Wanted:** Water buffalo for 150 hp trac., 9' Kuhn hay cutter. Carrol Gary, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9030.

**Wanted:** Ford 532 square baler for parts. D. Newman, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 730-6622.

**Wanted:** JD tractors for parts, models M, MT, MC & B, any year, also any owner's manuals. Jay Weeks, Simpson, 71474; (337) 383-6160.

# TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

**16' Tandem** axle, covered 4 horse or cattle trailer w/small storage, good tires & spare, some rust, \$950. Sal Faia, Kenner, 70065; (504) 466-3242 or (504) 467-4563.

24' Heavy duty gooseneck, 4' dove tail, dual tand. 12,000 lb. axles, elec. brakes, excel. cond., \$3000. Ronnie Whiddon, Evangeline, 70537; (337) 824-8695 day or (337) 824-5884 night.

**Hay wagon,** 20'x 10', steel bed, very good cond., \$1000. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

**16' Gooseneck** trailer w/fold-up ramps, dual axle, \$1200 or trade for Arps or Kelly backhoe. Sonny Bougeard, Church Point, 70525; (337) 873-4026.

**8 metal wagon** wheels with spokes, \$50/ea. Ted Motion, 222 Cultivateur Rd., Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-0859.

**7'x 20' Pull** wagon, good for hay or float, \$500; 14' gooseneck stock trailer, \$1250. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 433-1856.

**16' Factory bumper** pull, white horse trailer, has some rust, \$1500. R. Perioux, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-8807.

**Factory Weekend** Living Special, '98 alum. Sooner GN3 horse slant trailer, like new, many extra options, \$18,900 or trade. Denny Primeaux, Iowa, 70647; (337) 477-3648.

**'99 Gooseneck** brand stock trailer, 6'8"x 20', metal top, 4' covered gooseneck, escape door, less than 2000 miles, \$4250. Clark Vaughn, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 698-6787.

**'91 Alum. Featherlite** GN3H, slant load, dressing room, rear fold-

out tack, extra tall, new tires, great cond., \$8250. Pat Burmaster, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-5123.

**'92 Shelby** 4-horse slant load, steel GN trailer, ramp load front & back, padded & matted, a/c, extra tall & wide, \$4500. T. Champagne, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-1222.

**Horse trailer,** see near Church Point, Hwy. 178, \$5500. Harold Fontenot, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-3033.

16' WW trailer, center sliding gate, front storage compartment, bulldog hitch, spare tire, treated flooring, \$2600. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

**16' Utility** trailer, heavy duty, dual axle w/spare tire, \$1000. Octave LaCaze, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3416

WW 4 horse slant load gooseneck trailer, red in color, \$2500. Belinda Olivier, Westlake, 70669; (337) 430-0339.

'88 4 Star 2 horse slant gooseneck, all alum., spacious carpeted dressing room w/storage box, extra bridle hooks, \$5500. Carl Prejean, Sulphur, 70663; (337) 527-5522 after 8 p.m.

**16' Neckover** gooseneck stock trailer, metal roof & tack compartment, \$1000. Maxie Roy, Centerville, 70522; (337) 836-9472.

'96, 26' gooseneck trailer, hauls 3 mules, wagon on back, new winch, very good cond., \$4500. Robert Whiddon, Walker, 70785; (225) 664-3778.

**Off road,** 4'x 8' farm trailer w/8.25 tires, \$200. Carl Pratt, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-6695.

'94 Gooseneck hay express 5 bale hauler, lights, brakes, \$3000. Mike Gros, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-6871.

(2) 23.1''x 26" Goodrich #7 Grip, 8-ply rear trac. tires & tubes, 85% rubber, 8 hole rim mount, \$400/ea.; \$750/pr. Dwyer Griffin, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-4536.

Wanted: Old mule driven covered wagon. Stacey King, St. Francisville, 70775; (225) 343-0187.

## FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

**2 trucks**, both steel bed, grain box, excel. tires, '68 Ford F-600, \$2000; '74 Chevy C60, lift, tarp, \$2500. Shelton Pousson, Egan, 70531; (337) 783-4675.

'99 Ford F350 Lariat, quad cab, dually, power stroke, auto, loaded, new tires, leather int., \$18,500. Lionel Berthelot, Oak Grove, 71263; (318) 428-8854.

**Toyota 4x4,** long bed, engine needs work, \$1200. Sonny Beaugeard, Church Point, 70525; (337) 873-4026.

'73 Ford 9000 tandem dump w/ 350 Cummins eng., 9 sp. overdrive, 12 yd. Fontaine w/Teflon tires, very clean, \$12,000. Milton Clouatre, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 675-5311.

**'93 Ford F-150,** 5 speed, ext. cab, V6 eng., air, alum. toolbox, receiver hitch, 112,000 miles, good cond., \$5200. Floyd Dupre, Opelousas,

70570: (337) 407-8899.

**16"** Good used tires, 225, 235, 255, 265, plenty of treads, as many as you need, \$20/ea. Ronnie Effler, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 386-3406.

'88 Freightliner tri-axle dump truck, \$16,000. Ed Furlow, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-2756.

**Tulsa Winch** w/Cat heads on both sides, came off 2 ton truck, \$500. Denise Garland, Natchitoches, 71457; (318) 352-9778.

'95 GMC Topkick, 16' flatbed, 366 cu. inch V8, 5 sp. manual trans., 2 sp. rear end, a/c, excel cond., \$8000. Kirby Guillot, Pineville, 71361; (318) 449-8811.

**'79 Ford 9000** Tandem dump truck, 318 Detroit 13 speed trans., \$6500. B. Johnson, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-6353.

Chrome bumpers, '99 Ford front, \$350; Rear, \$250; '98 Dodge Front from 1 ton truck, never used, \$300. Chris Miller, Iowa, 70647; (337) 582-3721.

**Ring & Pinion** gears for 410 rear end, fits Ford F-250 from '86 to '97, low mileage, \$150. Denny Primeaux, 7182 N. Harrington Rd., Iowa, 70647; (337) 477-3648.

'97 Nissan pick-up, 5 speed, 39,000 miles, perfect cond., \$5000. C. Brister, Princeton, 71067; (318) 949-2909.

**'82 Ford F-150,** 4x4, long bed, 400 eng. rebuilt, good shape, \$3000. Terry Broussard, Breaux Bridge, 70517; (337) 332-1792.

**7.3 Diesel eng.,** like new E400 auto trans., 4:10 rear end & \$10,000 crewcab customized pkg., \$5500/ all. I. McCollough, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 358-3329.

'86 Kenworth 350 Cummins, 9 speed direct, very good tires, runs great, sleeper, reduced, \$9500. Dwayne Riché, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 964-2473.

'85 Dodge 4 wh. drive, ½ ton pickup w/8000 lb. Ramsey winch, \$1195. William Dart, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-5106 day, (225) 683-8049 night.

'86 GMC pickup, \$2000; '90 Chevrolet ¾ ton pickup, \$4500. S. Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

'96 4x4 ¾ ton Dodge, 118,000 miles, \$12,500. Mike Floyd, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 536-6620.

'66 Chevy truck, runs good, new tires, \$1700. Erwin Guillory,Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 826-5350.

'97 Dodge, 1 ton truck, a/c w/14' alum. bed, wooden deck, Cummins engine, maintenance records available, \$12,000. Lillie Hebert, Amelia, 70340; (985) 631-2789.

**'83 GMC** 1 ton, 350 & 4 speed rebuilt eng. & clutch, good cond., \$1800. Martin Miniex, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 594-8132.

'95 Ford F-250, ext. cab, power stroke diesel w/XLT pkg., CD player, new windshield, a/c, good tires & more, \$8500. Dennis Smith, Livingston, 70754; (225) 567-1891.

(20) 10.00 truck tires, 75% rubber left, \$30/ea. Carl Pratt, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-6695.

## LIVESTOCK & FARM SUPPLIES

Please include a statement along with your ad indicating how the item has been or can be used on a farm.

**Taylor-Wharton** 34HC Artificial Insemination tank, like new, \$500 or trade for farm equipment. Pat Prather, Baton Rouge, 70816; (225) 235-5633

2 heavy duty pipe cattle guards, 15' wide by 9' deep, \$150/ea. Hannan Deshotels, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 468-4404.

(12) 36" Fans, some direct, some indirect drive, \$25/ea. D. Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**TEW Tomato** grading table, 4' feeder belt, washer, sponge dryer, 5' incline insp. table, waxer, 24" wide belt, \$2800. Scott Ryan, Shreveport, 71107; (318) 221-0195.

**Galvanized sq.** tubing, 7/8"x 7/8", 30¢/ft.; 2"x 3", 75¢/ft; 2-7/8" drill stem, \$27/ea. 2-3/8", \$23/ea. Colton Terrel, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 514-0722

'99 200 gal. Butane tank, 1 yr. old, del. avail., \$150. Norris Baudoin, Perry, 70575; (337) 893-5705.

**2 Pressure washers,** 7 hp & 5 hp, Briggs motors, \$450 & \$350. Sonny Bougeard, Church Point, 70525; (337) 873-4062.

**10' Dbl. Roller** packer, \$300; 10' & 11' water levels, \$500/ea.; 100' of 10" sec 40 pipe, \$5/ft. Jessie Credeur, Crowley, 70526; (337) 785-9352 or (337) 788-2328.

Woodmaster wood burning central air furnace for heating stable or workshop, \$125. Nelson Doolittle, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-6111.

**Portable cattle** or horse panels, 5'x 10', new, good for rd. pens, sorting, \$45/1; 60' rd. pen, new, \$900. Larry Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2726.

**55 gallon** drums, metal w/lids, \$75/ea.; plastic w/lids, \$25; plastic, no lids, \$15/ea., no chemicals. Roy Jeanfreau, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 848-2165.

**New Water** troughs, 103 gal., \$65; 134 gal., \$75; 50 gal., \$55; new hay rings, \$115-\$125. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-8478.

**14" Pleasure** saddle, custom made, nearly brand new cond., \$475. George Melancon, Grand Chenier, 70643; (337) 538-2164.

**15" Hereford** old style saddle with 16" swills, \$350. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 433-1856.

**Galv. Panels,** 10' light & reg. duty, \$40 & \$50; rd. pens, 40', \$545 & \$675; 60', \$750 & \$970; cattle panels, \$65. Michael Passman, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5094.

500 gal. fuel tank, mint cond.,

\$290; steel drain pipe, 3'x 21', \$225. Alexander Pratt, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-6695.

**Sausage stuffer,** hand crank, \$200. Curtis Stelly, Fordoche, 70732; (225) 637-3375.

**Cattle panels,** like new cond., 15/ \$150. Patrick Guillory, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2439.

**2 3/8" tubing,** 75¢/ft.; 2 7/8" tubing, 80¢/ft.; 3 1/2" tubing, 90¢/ft.; 7" casing, \$5/ft.; 8 5/8" casing, \$6/ft. Trey Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504

**16'x 39' Pipe** bridge with 3" wood decking, \$1200. Mike Gros, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-6871.

**Weight distribution** system, good cond., seldom used, \$250. Kenneth Miller, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-3802.

**Heart Wood** comm. band saw, 2-way cut, 6" dbl. edge blade, 80 hp, Perkins tandem axles, 500 hrs., \$35,000. Herbert Lejeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2953.

**55 gal. plastic** barrels w/lids, 2 screw-in tops, \$15/ea. John O'Brian, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-9348 day, (985) 748-9467 evening.

Wanted: Portable milker in good shape, Sammy Smith, Winnfield, 71483; (318) 727-8502.

**Wanted:** 24" diam. Steel pipe for culvert use, 24' to 30' long. E. Ryan, Marksville, 71351; (318) 240-7388.

**Wanted:** Palpation chute for horses. Daniel Sykes, Holden, 70744; (225) 294-6748.

### Fruit and Vegetable Growers Conference and Trade Show set for February 6 - 8

Fruit and vegetable growers from Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi will meet in Biloxi, Miss., Feb. 6-8 for the 2002 Ark-La-Miss Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Conference and Trade Show.

This year's educational event marks the fourth year growers from the three states have come together for such a meeting. It will be held at the President Casino Broadwater Towers Hotel in Biloxi.

"The benefit of having a tri-state meeting and trade show is the development of relationships between the growers, extension and research people and vendors from the different states," said Dr. Jimmy Boudreaux, extension vegetable specialist with the LSU AgCenter.

The tri-state meeting will include educational sessions on direct marketing, fruit and vegetable production, and will also feature a large trade show. "We are expecting more than 40 vendors at the show," said trade show coordinator Guy Feltenstein of the Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce. "The trade show will be made up of fruit tree nurseries, seed companies, chemical companies,

equipment manufacturers, fertilizer manufacturers, drip irrigation companies, box companies and a number of other suppliers of interest to fruit and vegetable growers."

The conference begins Feb. 6 with several sessions on direct marketing that afternoon and will also include an evening session for farmers who are just entering the business.

Keynote speakers are Richard and Marilyn Tanner, apple growers from Speer, Ill., who will explain how their apple orchard progressed from a wholesale operation into a profitable direct marketing operation. The Tanners are nationally known speakers on the direct marketing of fruit and vegetables.

The Feb. 7 program will consist of four concurrent tracks with sessions on fruits, vegetables, blueberries and organic production. These sessions will be conducted in 30-minute segments - thus allowing individuals to pick and choose a variety of sessions to attend

During an evening session of Feb. 7, Dr. Doug Sanders, extension vegetable specialist with North Carolina State University, will speak about current trends in the fruit and vegetable industry in the southeastern states. Business meetings for different state organizations will be held on Feb. 8.

Registration for the meeting is \$40 per person and includes membership dues in a state growers association, a lunch buffet and a reception. A spouse's registration fee of \$20 is available and includes the lunch and reception.

For more information on the meeting, contact J. Boudreaux at (225) 578-2222.

## Sugarcane Harvest coming to an end--freeze damage not yet seen

The recent hard freeze in South Louisiana hasn't stopped the sugarcane harvest, but it has placed pressure on some growers to get remaining cane out of the fields quickly, according to experts at the LSU AgCenter.

Since freezing temperatures tend to stop sugar production and lead to deterioration of sugarcane, the few farmers who still have cane in the fields need to complete the harvest before the weather turns sour, the experts say. "Sucrose doesn't deteriorate overnight, but the clock is ticking," said Dr. Kenneth Gravois, director of the LSU AgCenter's Sugar Research Station at St. Gabriel, adding, "Warm and rainy weather will increase deterioration. "But as long as the weather is cool and refrigeratorlike, the crop will keep in the fields."

Gravois explained there's a win-

dow of one to two weeks to get the remainder of the crop harvested. But there isn't much sugarcane left in the fields. What's left should be harvested before the crop in the field shows major deterioration, Gravois said.

Of the 17 mills in Louisiana, only three were still operating Jan. 9 and were expected to finish by the end of the week, according to Charlie Melancon, president and general manager of the American Sugar Cane League in Thibodaux.

Gravois said this year's yields are in the top five historically for the state but are not as good as the 1999 or 2000 crops.

"1999 and 2000 were records," he said. "This year is above average. All in all, it's a good crop." Melancon agrees. "Overall, the crop was a decent crop. It matched last year's harvest," he said.

Melancon estimates the final harvest will average slightly more than 33 tons of cane per acre with sugar yield about 5 pounds per ton more than last year's crop.

"There were some pockets where Melancon said about 90 perc farmers were devastated by of the harvest was uneventful.

weather abnormalities where yields were 30-35 percent below expectations," he added.

Although farmers were hampered by rains a couple of times, Melancon said about 90 percent of the harvest was uneventful. The final figures on this year's crop are incomplete, the LSU AgCenter reported the 2000 crop produced nearly \$363 million in onfarm income and almost \$232 million in value-added income in Louisiana.

### Louisiana Farmers can laugh...you may be a farmer if

- ♦ You wear specific hats to farm sales, livestock auctions, customer appreciation suppers, and vacations.
- lacktriangle You've never thrown away a 5 gallon bucket.
- ◆ You can remember the fertilizer rate, seed population, herbicide rate and yields on a farm you rented 10 years ago, but cannot recall your wife's birthday.
- ♦ You have driven off the road while examining your neighbors crops.
- ♦ You wave at every vehicle whether you know them or not.
- ♦ Your early morning prayer covers rain, cattle and pigs.♦ You listen to "Paul Harvey" every day at noon.
- ◆ You don't buy all of your vegetables at the grocery store.
- ♦ You go to the State Fair for your family vacation.
- ◆ You get up at 5:30 a.m. and go down to the coffee shop.
  ◆ And finally, if given \$1,000,000 you would keep right on farming. You'd farm differently, but you would keep farming because that is who and what you are.

### Researchers release weevils to control invasive Salvinia weed

Scientists from the LSU AgCenter released larvae of a weevil in Cameron Parish December 20 in an effort to stem the spread of an invasive weed that was recently discovered in that area.

The weed – Salvinia molesta or giant salvinia – forms dense mats, which sometimes are several feet thick. It spreads rapidly and can completely clog a body of water.

Giant salvinia was first found in Louisiana at Toledo Bend Reservoir about three years ago, and LSU AgCenter researchers and others have been conducting research and using intensive chemical control measures to knock down the troublesome weed there.

Now, it's moved outside that area, and officials say that could mean even more trouble. "It's a bad problem in Cameron Parish," said Dr. Dearl Sanders, a weed scientist with the LSU AgCenter and resident director of the LSU AgCenter's Idlewild Research Station at Clinton.

Sanders said the weed can clog irrigation systems and even compete with rice crops if it's introduced into rice fields.

The plant spreads naturally in bodies of water but also can be transported from one place to another on boats, boat trailers, equipment and other items to which it clings, so officials are urging hunters and fishermen to be cautious and wash down such items.

On December 19th the Cameron Parish Police Jury conducted helicopter surveillance and identified widespread areas of giant salvinia, according to Kevin Savoie, an area fisheries agent with the LSU AgCenter.

The infestation is greatest on the Cameron Drainage Canal, where observers identified an area 5-6 miles long and as wide as 2 miles, Savoie said. "In some places it's 4-5 feet thick against bridges," he said. "And we found it back into marshes and ponds – 4-5 acres in some places."

Although officials are investigating chemical treatments, they can be expensive. That's why the weevil is being introduced to Louisiana, according to Dr. Seth Johnson, a researcher in the LSU AgCenter's Department of Entomology.

Johnson obtained the weevil larvae from the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

The weevil larvae were released under a permit issued to the USDA APHIS laboratory in Mission, Texas, Johnson said. "I'm very optimistic about this project," Johnson said. "The weather in South Louisiana is warm enough for the weevils to survive. Based

on successes in Australia and Africa, I expect to see a dramatic impact."

Johnson said he expects to see measurable results by this time next year with "control certainly evident in two years."

The weevil eats only salvinia and doesn't feed on other plants, Johnson emphasized, saying, "This project has a low cost and a high payoff."

Sanders said the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and the Cameron Parish Drainage Board are investigating chemical treatments – although the scientists hope the weevils can replace expensive chemicals.

"Self-perpetuating biological controls can be effective tools at low costs," Sanders said.

Savoie agreed and said spraying herbicides is hindered by cattle in the area, so officials are talking with landowners to move cattle, at least temporarily, so they can spray the salvinia

"Everybody realizes this is a serious problem and we have to do something about it," Savoie said. He emphasized the need for hunters and fishers to be aware of giant salvinia, to make sure they don't move the plants to other waterways and to notify the LDWF if they think they've found the plant somewhere else.

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### Lagniappe Cookery...

## Recipes from the Sportsmans Paradise

#### Roasted Quail Etouffee'

- 1 medium potato, peeled, cut in 1"
- \*1 large leek, chopped
- 4 cups loosely packed fresh spinach
- \*1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- Salt & pepper to taste
- \*8 dressed quail
- \*8 large Creole tomatoes
- \*½ cup vegetable oil
- ½ cup all-purpose flour
- \*1½ cups chopped onion
- \*1/2 cup chopped green bell pepper
- \*1/2 cup chopped celery
- \*2 cloves garlic, minced
- \*4 bay leaves
- 3 cups chicken broth
- \*2 teaspoons salt
- \*2 teaspoons thyme
- \*1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- \*1/2 teaspoon sugar \*1/3 cup chopped green onions
- \*2 tablespoons chopped fresh
- \*2 teaspoons cayenne pepper
- \*2 teaspoons hot sauce Cornbread

Cook potato in boiling water 8 minutes or until tender. Drain and cool. Cook leek & spinach in 1 tablespoon oil over medium heat 3 min-

utes or until wilted. Cool. Combine potato, leek mixture and salt and pepper to taste and spoon into cavities of quail. Place one leg over the other and secure with a toothpick. Place quail and tomatoes in a large roasting pan. Bake at 400 degrees for 45 minutes. Cool tomatoes slightly. Chop tomatoes, reserving liquid and set aside. Pour ½ cup oil into a large skillet or Dutch oven and place over medium-high heat until very hot. Add flour and cook, stirring constantly, 2-3 minutes until golden (do not burn). Add onion and next 4 ingredients. Cook 4-5 minutes until onion is tender. Gradually add chicken broth, stirring constantly. Add tomato, reserved liquid, 2 teaspoons salt and next 3 ingredients. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer, uncovered, for 1 hour. Stir in green onions and next ingredients. Add quail, breast side up and simmer 15 minutes. Remove and discard bay leaves. Serve quail mixture over cornbread. Serves 8.

### All-Purpose Wild Game Marinade

- 1 cup water
- \*2 tablespoons vinegar
- \*1 lemon, sliced

- ½ dozen crushed peppercorns
- 2 3 carrot slices
- \*1 stalk green celery, chopped
- \*1 bay leaf
- \*2 or 3 sprigs parsley
- 2 or 3 crushed whole cloves
- \*1 tablespoon Creole seasoning
- \*2 cloves garlic
- \*1 onion, chopped fine
- \*2 tablespoons oil

Marinate overnight for all wild game, the longer the better.

#### Deer Patties

- \*2 pounds ground deer tenderloin 3 tablespoons very fine bread
- \*2 tablespoons grated onion
- \*2 teaspoons salt
- \*1 egg lightly beaten
- ½ teaspoon turmeric
- \*1/4 teaspoon chili powder
- \*1/4 teaspoon garlic salt
- \*1/8 teaspoon pepper
- ½ cup margarine or clear bacon fat 1/3 cup water

Blend first 9 ingredients thoroughly, leaving out garlic or onion if you prefer. Shape into patties. Place in margarine or bacon fat and brown. When browned add water and cover. Simmer 11/2 hours.

### Onion-Roasted Venison

- \*4 pound rump or shoulder roast Cooking fat
- \*Salt & pepper
- 1 package dry onion soup mix ½ cup water

Brown roast in cooking fat on all sides on top of stove. Season with salt and pepper. Sprinkle package of onion soup mix on and around roast. Add water. Cook in 300 degree oven in covered pan until tender. Serves 6.

#### Wild Duck and Yams

- \*1 Wild duck
- \*1 teaspoon salt
- \*1 teaspoon pepper
- ½ cup shortening
- \*2 small onions, quartered
- 3 stalks celery (cut in half)
- \*8 orange slices
- \*4 yams, sliced lengthwise
- 1 apple, quartered
- \*1 cup orange juice
- \*1 cup red wine

Wash duck and pat dry. Salt and pepper duck inside and out. Pour oil in Dutch oven and brown duck on all sides. Add enough water to partially cover duck. Place onions and celery alongside of duck.

Cover and simmer for about 11/2 hours with breast of duck down. Keep adding water to cover about half the duck. Test for tenderness with a fork. Place cut yams and apples around duck. Add 1 cup orange juice and 1 cup wine. Cover and simmer until the yams are partially cooked. Place orange slices on top of yams and simmer until yams are tender. Arrange duck on platter surrounded by yams, orange slices, celery stalks, grapes and kumquats. Strain gravy and place in separate bowl. Serve duck with wild rice. Makes 4 servings.

#### Small Game Mulligan

- \*1/2 lb. meat (rabbit, squirrel, duck) 4 medium potatoes, peeled & cubed
- \*1 medium onion, chopped
- \*2 16 ounce bottles chili sauce

\*Salt & pepper to taste

Cook meat in pressure cooker until it falls off the bones. Remove bones (watch out for steel shot if using ducks). Boil potatoes and onions in broth until almost done. Add chili sauce and meat and finish cooking. Serve with crackers.

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### January 26

Louisiana Angus Association Bull sale will be held on January 26, 2002 at the Dean Lee Research Center in Lecompte, LA. For more information contact Jarvene Shackelford at (662) 837-4904 or alb@dixie-net.com.

### February 9

The Louisiana Two Cylinder Antique Tractor and Engine Club will hold its 2nd Annual Tractor Pull at the Beauregard Parish Covered Arena, 4 miles west of DeRidder on Hwy. 190, on Saturday February 9, 2002 at 8:30 am. For more information, contact David Bass at (337) 725-3171.

### February 16

The South Louisiana Saddle Club will hold the 2002 Winter Classic open horse show on Saturday, February 16, 2002 at Churchill Farms Arena, 10205 Lapalco, Westwego, LA. starting at 1 p.m. Rain out date is February 23. Entry fees are \$7 or \$35/6. For more information, contact Dudley Hartz at (504) 835-0614 or southlouisianasaddleclub.com.

### February 2

A Youth Rodeo will be held on February 2, 2002 at Kinchens indoor arena, 75912 1053, Kentwood, LA. For more information, contact Henry Kinchen at (985) 229-5070 or (504) 514-0528.

### March 2-3

A 2 day seminar "Equine Extravaganza: A Common Sense Approach to Horsemanship and Health management will be held on March 2-3, 2002 at the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine and Brec Farr Park Horse Activity Center located in Baton Rouge, LA. The event will offer two full days of seminars taught by nationally-known equine trainers, Craig Cameron and Michelle Gibson. Registrations forms and information are available by calling Melissa Edmonston at (225) 578-9900.

### March 3

The Silver Spur Riders Club will hold an All Breed Open Horse Show on March 3, 2002 at the Burton Coliseum Covered Arena, in Lake Charles, LA. For more information, contact Marie Hannie at (337) 477-6997 or